



City of Eugene Rest Stop Program



Community Supported Shelters

Mission

“To develop and educate the public about affordable micro-housing solutions for people in life transition, in economic hardship, or seeking a simpler way of life”



Program

Agreement with City of Eugene:

City provides sites

Up to 15 people per site

Inform surrounding & nearby neighbors

Adequate waste management & toilet facilities

Program

Rest Stop Rules

Daily closure

No alcohol/drugs/weapons/violence/theft

Volunteer/Work Requirement

3 Violations or 3 Consecutive AWOLs

Program

Features

- Conestogas/Tents
- Site Manager
- Site maintenance

By the numbers:

- 55 served
- 8 transitions
- 13 veterans
- 13 evictions



Garfield & Roosevelt

1st Rest Stop

ADA Accessibility

Open 4pm – 10am



Chambers & NW Expressway

2nd Rest Stop

Open 4pm-9am



Volunteer Program

- Coordinated with Parks & Open Space
- Park clean-up & Invasive weed mitigation
- 6 Work parties to date
- 2 work parties a month for each resident



Recommendation

1 year extension to October 1, 2015

Requires Public Hearing

Council Options

- Direct the City Manager to schedule a public hearing on an ordinance extending the sunset date for the rest stop pilot program.
- Take no action and direct the City Manager to return with additional information.
- Take no action and allow the program to sunset on October 1, 2014.

Next Steps

- Potential Rest Stop Public Hearing
- Opportunity Village Work Session
- Winter Strategies



Discussion